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REQUEST FOR ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

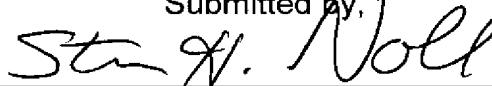
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Applicant herewith requests an extension of time of one month for responding to the Office Action dated September 18, 2008, so that period for responding thereto is extended from December 18, 2008 to January 18, 2009. This request is accompanied by electronic payment for the requisite fee in the amount of \$130.00.

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